



PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

APPLICATION OF )  
HARTWIG SCHLESIGER ET AL ) GROUP: 1711  
SERIAL NO.: 10/768,765 )  
FILED: JANUARY 30, 2004 ) EXAMINER: NATHAN M. NUTTER  
TITLE: CELLULOSE ETHER BLENDS OF INCREASED )  
BULK DENSITY, THEIR USE IN CONSTRUCTION )  
MATERIAL SYSTEMS, AND A PROCESS FOR )  
PRODUCING CELLULOSE ETHER BLENDS )  
OF INCREASED BULK DENSITY )

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from  
the Office Action of the Examiner dated June 8, 2005

in which Claims 1-5

were ☒ finally rejected.  
☐ twice rejected.

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- ☐ Enclosed
- ☐ NOT REQUIRED - Examiner reopened prosecution after fee was paid in earlier appeal which did not result in a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and interferences.
- ☒ CHARGE TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 13-3848. Two additional copies of this Notice are enclosed herewith.
- ☐ SEPARATE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) with authority to charge appropriate fee is also submitted herewith.

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